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Dear

Thanks for sending me, on Feb 15'73 a set of your excellent maps. Would it be possible to put me on a list to get future ones automatically as they are released?

Here is what I plan to try to get published in the Journal of Geography. I figured the briefer the better chance. Please correct anything that needs it; then I'll send it.

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Geographers should be aware of a set of inexpensive, excellent maps of individual countries that is now becoming available. In mid-1972 the Government Printing Office started releasing maps produced by the Central Intelligence Agency, at the rate of about 30 a year.

The multicolor maps are medium to small scale. On one reasonable sized sheet, or two in the case of Russia, they show the country in relief shading with primary transportation networks, major urban areas, and chief administrative divisions. The inset maps will be especially useful to geographers on any teaching level, for they show on separate maps the population density, ethnolinguistic groups, land use, economic activity, and vegetation.

If the country you need is not listed here in the 18 released so far keep trying - it will be. Available by the end of 1973 will be:

COUNTRY	SCALE	DATE	PAPER SIZE	PRICE
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(Could you send me a list of those which will be in print by Dec '73?)

I notice that Mexico has been released since you sent my set in Feb. Could I have that and any others so far?

Sincerely,

*Susan Marsh*